

SHB 1313 - H AMD **997**

By Representative Taylor

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1 On page 5, line 13 after "**Sec. 4**" insert "(1)"

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3 On page 5, line 18, after "regulation" insert "except in actions
4 against an agency that is not in compliance with subsection (2) of
5 this section.

6 (2) An agency, as defined in RCW 42.56.010, that makes
7 determinations related to the delineation of a wetland must either
8 employ a state certified wetland scientist to make the determination
9 or contract with a state certified wetland scientist to make the
10 determination"

EFFECT: Requires an agency to employ or contract with a state certified wetland scientist when determinations regarding wetland delineation are made. Evidence that an agency has not complied may be admissible in court and/or evidence of noncompliance in an action to enforce an order or regulation.

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